Research and Analyze the Mekong River as Trade Route



Project Title	Research and Analyze the Mekong River as Trade Route	
Summary	Support our Economic work at Mission Thailand and broader U.S. interests in Southeast Asia by researching, documenting and analyzing trade on the critically important Mekong river.	
Country	Thailand	

Project Description

The Mekong flows through six countries and is critical to environmental and economic interests for all. From biodiversity and droughts to national sovereignty and food sovereignty, the impacts are extensive and connected. Your research will focus on trade on the Mekong to inform U.S. policy recommendations in Thailand.

Help us answer critical questions, then organize, analyze, and make proposals. How much trade is entering and leaving Thailand via the Mekong river? Is there additional opportunity to use the Mekong as a transportation route, or are other transportation methods faster and cheaper? What countries, what industries, and what companies use the Mekong to facilitate trade?

Required Skills or Interests

Skill(s)
Data analysis
Economic analysis
Research
Writing

Additional Information

Candidates should be curious, self-motivated, and open to collaboration and feedback.

Language Requirements

Languag	e Speaking Proficienc	y Reading Proficiency	Importance
Thai	No practical proficiency	Limited working proficiency	y Nice to Have